

PRESQUE ISLE TOWNSHIP

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Sandra Clark, Director
Michigan Historical Center
P.O. Box 30740
Lansing, MI 48909

Dear Ms. Clark,

Presque Isle Township supports the continuation of the State of Michigan and NOAA's joint management of the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary and Underwater Preserve and urge you to continue the partnership.

The Sanctuary is a great addition to our community. It is very educational and interesting and we feel it will help support our community through historical preservation, tourism and education. We would also support the expansion of the sanctuary to include the waters of Presque Isle Township and County.

Thank you for your time. Presque Isle Township strongly supports the Sanctuary.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Pettalia". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Peter" and last name "Pettalia" clearly distinguishable.

Peter Pettalia
Presque Isle Township Supervisor

cc: Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary and Underwater Preserve